

Appl. No. 06/610,204

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Amendments to the Drawings:

No amendments to the drawings are submitted in this response.

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REMARKS

A March 1, 2011 telephone call with the Examiner confirmed that claims 2 through 10 are pending in the case instead of claims 2 through 12 as indicated in the February 14, 2011 Office Action. Similarly, the Examiner has allowed claims 2 through 10 instead of claims 2 through 12. Applicant has corrected formal matters by presenting the claims in the required form according to present Office practice per 37 CFR 1.121(c). Thus, the claims presented above reflect the claims presented earlier in a February 18, 1986 Amendment, per present Office practice. No new matter was added.

Correction of Formal Matters

A. The Examiner has allowed the claims in this case. The Examiner notes that the “amendment to the claims filed on 2/18/1986 do not comply with the requirements of 37 CFR 1.121(c) because they are not in the required form per present office practice.”

Applicant has presented the amendment to the claims of February 18, 1986 in the required form according to present Office practice per 37 CFR 1.121(c) by providing the correct parenthetical description prior to the claim language, underlining additions, and striking through or double-bracketing deletions.

In view of the foregoing remarks, it is respectfully submitted that the application is in condition for allowance. Accordingly, the prompt issuance of this application is earnestly

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solicited.

AUTHORIZATION TO CHARGE DEPOSIT ACCOUNT

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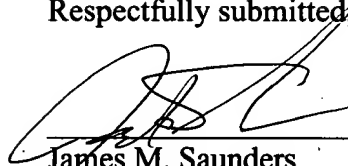
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CONCLUSION

For the foregoing reasons, it is believed that the application is now in condition for allowance.

Respectfully submitted,

Dated: March 1, 2011

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